

Dream Big Tiffin 2024 Submission Form

Please complete this form to submit a project or idea to the Dream Big Tiffin process. Dream Big Tiffin is used to source and prioritize community development projects within the City of Tiffin. If you have any questions about this form, please contact Adam Gillmor, TSEP Development Coordinator, at gillmor@tiffinseneca.org

Section 1: Project Information

Project Title *

Applejack park rebuild

Executive summary/short description of your project (limit 200 words) *

A major update to Applejack park with new playground with poured in play surface, swing set, a 1/2 paved walking trail and an updated basketball court.

Additional project information (details or key highlights that you feel are important for understanding the scope of the project, limit 2500 words)

This park has not seen any updates in over 30 years. It has the original equipment that was put in back in the mid 1980's. The equipment that is there is only 4 equipment items from a swing set too little climbing items. This update opportunity would allow the City to bring another park up to date with our ADA plan dealing with accessibility. This new park update would include a brand new walking trail around the outer part of the park, playground with pour in play surface, swing set updated basketball court and shelter. The walking trail would tie it all in together with being able to walk around piece to piece while using the trail. The 1/2 mile paved trail will be able to keep those kids, families and citizens off the roads around that area while trying to get in a little exercise. This additional paved trail would allow us to update our bike trail plan throughout the City of Tiffin and add another "bump out" to a park. This would be our 10th park out of 18 to have a trail tied into the property.

Please indicate the type of support your project is seeking in order to reach completion (check all that apply) *

Financial/funding

Volunteers

Community awareness

Partner Organizations

Other:

Section 2: Organization & Contact Details

Organization Name *

Tiffin Parks and Recreation
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Organization Address *

621 E. Market Street
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Organization Email *

bkuhn@tiffinohio.gov
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Organization Phone *

4194485408
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Project Contact *

Bryce Kuhn

Project Contact Email *

bkuhn@tiffinohio.gov

Project Contact Phone *

567-207-6433

Project Website (if available)

<https://www.tiffinohio.gov/departments/parks-rec>

Project Social Media (if available)

Tiffin Parks and Recreation

How are donations being accepted for the project? (if applicable)

Section 3: Financial Details

Total project cost *

120,000.00

Funds obtained so far *

None

Sources of funds obtained so far *

Please list the individual sources of funds, as well the amount of funding each source is providing. If any sources are anonymous, please list them as anonymous.

None

Current funding gap *

No funding gap at this time. Project is a capital project for the department if we receive funds.

Potential sources planned for additional funding (grants, capital campaign, private philanthropy, * government funds, etc)

Please be as specific as possible. If there are any timelines associated with a potential source of funding, please identify that timeline.

No other potential funds for the project at this time.

Will there be ongoing costs associated with the operation/maintenance/upkeep of your project? *

If yes, please describe your plan for sustainability and coverage of future costs.

No ongoing maintenance cost

Section 4: Timeline

When did planning for this project begin?

When did fundraising/capital campaign for this project begin?

No fundraising has begun for this project.

What is the goal/project date of groundbreaking/beginning of work?

MM DD YYYY

04 / 17 / 2024

What is the goal/project date of completion/program launch?

MM DD YYYY

08 / 23 / 2024

Section 5: Community Needs and Engagement

Describe the community need(s) that you believe your project will meet and any benefits it will provide to the City of Tiffin and greater community (limit 500 words) *

This update to Applejack park would allow the families around to be able to have a common space to gather, explore and adventure within in their backyards. Updates to a common space like this would bring a positive vibe to the area that gets carried throughout that section of town. With updating our parks similar to this one over the years we have noticed a greater amount of joy, neighbors bonding, neighbors being outside and talking with other neighbors and taking ownership of their park. This is one of the best ways to enhance the towns attitudes, mental health and cleaning up an area that has been neglected over the years.

Which sections, if any, of the Multijurisdictional Joint Comprehensive Plan do you feel your project fits within? (link to comp plan in the question) *

Active Transportation plan, Bike Trails for City of Tiffin, ADA master plan for the City

What are the measurable outcomes of your project? (limit 500 words) *

Seeing the under utilized park land have families using their minds for creative within the great outdoors.

Please describe the level of community support for your project currently, including any foreseen pushback or opposition and provide examples if available. *

The support for this project would be overwhelming since this has been a request to the department for many years now whenever other parks have updates.

Please describe any community engagement/outreach/surveys/listening sessions that has taken place as part of the planning process of your project. *

Mainly we have been in contact via phone calls from citizens, social media contact, emails and request at City Council meetings.

Please list any partner organizations for this project and a brief note of how they are partnering with you (government organizations, nonprofits, businesses, social clubs, etc) *

Mainly would be working with the City of Tiffin for this project.

Section 6: Attachments


Project Image (Required) *

Please provide one image that will represent your project online and in your project's profile/summary.


 Applejack park - ...

Project Budget (Required) *

Please submit a breakdown of costs associated with this project. This is **NOT** your organizational budget.



Any visuals related to your project (renderings, photos, video, etc.)



Letters of Support

Any additional supporting materials

This form was created inside of Tiffin-Seneca Economic Partnership.

